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Sir:

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The references were cited in a Search Report dated July 31, 2002 (copy enclosed herewith) from a foreign patent office in a counterpart PCT application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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